किए गए अलग-अलग कार्यों की निगरानी केन्द्रीय स्तर पर नहीं करती है।

Loans to farmers of U.P. under IRDP

3256. SHRI SYED SIBTEY RAZI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether timely distribution of loans to farmers and youths of Uttar Pradesh under Integrated Rural Development Programme has been done during the last three years;

(b) if so, the details thereof, distrirt-wise and year-wise;

(c) whether Government propose to cover more people under the scheme during the next three financial years; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI UTTAMBHAI H. PATEL): (a) By and large, Yes.

(b) This Ministry does not monitor district wise information relating to loans given to the IRDP beneficiaries. Total bank loan disbursed under IRDP in U.P. during the last three years is given below:—

(Rs. in lakhs)

Year	Total loan disbursed
1989-90	28849.89
1990-91	31133.33
1991-92 (Provisional)	29830.32

(c) and (d) The coverage of more people under IRDP will depend upon the budget allocations under this scheme during the next three years.

National drinking water mission

3257. SHRI MENTAY PADMANABHAM: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the number of villages provided with potable drinking water so far since the establishment of the National Drinking Water Mission in 1986; and

(b) the funds allocated for this Mission since 1986, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI UTTAMBHAI H. PATEL): (a) 289609 villages including 134379 No Source problem villages have been provided safe drinking water facilities since the establishment of Rajiv Gandhi National Drinking Water Mission in 1986 upto 30th June, 1992.

(b) State-wise details of funds allocated for the Mission since 1986 are given in the annexed statement. (*See* Appendix CLXIV, Annexure No. 54)

Funds for drinking water problem of Jaisalmer

3258. SHRI PASUMPON THA. KIRUTTINAN: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the budgetory provisions made by Government for solving rural drinking water problem in Jaisalmer district of Rajasthan during the last three years;

(b) the details of acute scarcity regions of the State;

(c) whether it is a fact that the provisions were not made in accordance with the requirements of the State; and

(d) if so, what steps are taken/proposed to be taken to enhance provisions during the next three years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI UTTAMBHAI H. PATEL): (a) The following expenditure was incurred during the last three years for solving rural drinking water problem under State Sector Minimum Needs Programme and Centrally Sponsored Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme in Jaisalmer:—

(Rs. in lakhs)

Year	Expenditure
1989-90 ..	432.00
1990-91 ..	152.00
1991-92 ..	220.67

(b) During the summer months in the current year, there was acute scarcity of drinking water in most of the districts of the State, except some parts of the districts of Sriganganagar, Bhilwara, Udaipur, Banswara, Dungarpur and Rajsamand.

(c) Within the availability of resources, adequate provisions were made both under MNP and ARWSP. On the other hand, additional assistance of Rs. 34.15 crores was given to the State Government for coverage of No Source problem villages, Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe habitations and Guineaworm Eradication Programme.

(d) Does not arise.

Wasteland development programme

3259. SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that wasteland development programme would be poised for development in future; and

(b) whether Government's ambitious programme for conversion of wasteland into greening five million hectares every year is yielding good results?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (DEPARTMENT OF WASTELANDS DEVELOPMENT) (COL. RAM SINGH): (a) Afforestation and tree planting are continuing activities at the State level, undertaken for wastelands development, from year to year depending on the availability of funds through the State and Central Plans. The coverage of the Wastelands Development Programme is expected to be expanded substantially during the Eighth Five Year Plan, which is under finalisation.

(b) In the Seventh Plan period (1985-90), an area of 8.8 million hectares was covered whereas the coverage from the First to the Sixth Plan period (1950-85) was about 8.2 million hectares. Studies and evaluation of the afforestation and wastelands development activities carried out in different States have revealed that these activities have contributed to increase in bio-mass production, employment and income generation in rural areas, encouragement of farm-forestry/agro-forestry on private lands, involvement of women and voluntary agencies in these activities, strengthening the infrastructure of Forest Departments, etc.

Acreage of Agricultural land collected under Bhoodan movement

3260. SHRI SUSHILKUMAR SAMBRAJIRAO SHINDE: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the total acreage of agricultural land collected under the Bhoodan Movement;

(b) the total amount of land actually distributed out of this;

(c) the number of persons benefited by this distribution; and

(d) the reasons for the land lying undistributed?